

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

1. (Currently Amended) ~~Stable~~A stable pharmaceutical composition, ~~characterized by comprising an amount of a~~ fluor ether anesthetic compound selected from the group ~~constituted~~consisting of sevoflurane, desflurane, isoflurane, enflurane and methoxyflurane, and at least one stabilizer agent employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 5% in weight of the final composition, ~~being the stabilizer agent being selected from the group consisting of a~~ polyalcohol selected from the group constituted of propylene glycol, polyethylene glycol, hexylene glycol, and 1,3-butyleneglycol, ~~or a C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl substituted or unsubstituted aliphatic 4-12 membered carbocyclic alcohol-like menthol, or, and mixtures thereof.~~
2. (Currently Amended) ~~Stable~~A stable anesthetic pharmaceutical composition ~~characterized by comprising an amount of~~ sevoflurane and at least one stabilizer agent, employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 5% in weight of the final composition, ~~being the stabilizer agent being selected from the group consisting of a~~ polyalcohol selected from the group ~~constituted~~consisting of propylene glycol, polyethylene glycol, hexylene glycol, and 1,3-butyleneglycol, ~~or a C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl substituted or unsubstituted aliphatic 4-12 membered carbocyclic alcohol-like menthol, or, and mixtures thereof.~~
3. (Currently Amended) The stable ~~Stable~~ anesthetic pharmaceutical composition according to claim 2 wherein the stabilizing agent is propylene glycol employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 0.200% in weight of the final composition.
4. (Currently Amended) The stable ~~Stable~~ anesthetic pharmaceutical composition according to claim 2 wherein the stabilizer agent is a polyethylene glycol of general formula  $H(OCH_2CH_2)_nOH$  where n is equal or greater than 4 employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 0.200% in weight of the final composition.

5. (Currently Amended) The stable ~~Stable~~—anesthetic pharmaceutical composition according to claim 4 wherein the stabilizer agent is polyethylene glycol 400.
6. (Currently Amended) The stable ~~Stable~~—anesthetic pharmaceutical composition according to claim 2 wherein the stabilizing agent is menthol employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 0.200% in weight of the final composition.
7. (Canceled)
8. (Currently Amended) ~~Stable~~A stable anesthetic pharmaceutical composition ~~characterized by~~ comprising an amount of sevoflurane and propylene glycol in a concentration ranging from 0.005% to 0.100% in weight of the final composition.
9. (Currently Amended) ~~Stable~~A stable anesthetic pharmaceutical composition ~~characterized by~~ comprising an amount of sevoflurane and polyethylene glycol 400 in a concentration ranging from 0.005% to 0.100% in weight of the final composition.
10. (Currently Amended) ~~Stable~~A stable anesthetic pharmaceutical composition ~~characterized by~~ comprising an amount of sevoflurane and menthol in a concentration ranging from 0.005% to 0.100% in weight of the final composition.
11. (Currently Amended) A method ~~Method~~ for stabilizing sevoflurane ~~characterized by using comprising mixing sevoflurane with~~ at least one stabilizer agent in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 5% in weight in relation to the weight of sevoflurane, ~~being the~~ stabilizer agent being selected from the group consisting of a polyalcohol selected from the group—constituted consisting of propylene glycol, polyethylene glycol, hexyleneglycol, and 1,3-butyleneglycol, or a C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl substituted or unsubstituted aliphatic 4-12 membered carbocyclic alcohol like menthol, or, and mixtures thereof.
12. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 11 wherein the stabilizer agent is propylene glycol employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 0.200% in weight in relation to the weight of sevoflurane.

13. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 11 wherein the stabilizer agent is a polyethylene glycol of general formula  $\text{H}(\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2)_n\text{OH}$  where  $n$  is equal or greater than 4 employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 0.200% in weight in relation to the weight of sevoflurane.
14. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 13 wherein the stabilizer agent is polyethylene glycol 400.
15. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 11 wherein the stabilizer agent is menthol employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 0.200% in weight in relation to the weight of sevoflurane.
16. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ A method for stabilizing anhydrous fluoroether compounds ~~characterized by using comprising mixing an anhydrous fluoroether compound with~~ at least one stabilizer agent employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 5% in weight in relation to the weight of the fluoroether compound, ~~being the~~ stabilizer agent being selected from the group consisting of a polyalcohol selected from the group ~~constituted consisting~~ of propylene glycol, polyethylene glycol, hexylene glycol, and 1,3-butylene glycol, ~~or~~ a  $\text{C}_1$ - $\text{C}_6$  alkyl substituted or unsubstituted aliphatic 4-12 membered carbocyclic alcohol, and mixtures thereof like menthol.
17. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 16 wherein the stabilizer agent is propylene glycol employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 0.200% in weight in relation to the fluoroether compound.
18. (Canceled)
19. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 16 wherein the stabilizer agent is a polyethylene glycol of general formula  $\text{H}(\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2)_n\text{OH}$  where  $n$  is equal or greater than 4.

20. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 19 wherein the stabilizer agent is polyethylene glycol 400.
21. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 20 wherein polyethylene glycol 400 is ~~used~~ employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 0.200% in weight in relation to the fluoroether compound.
22. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 16 wherein the stabilizer agent is menthol ~~is used~~ employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 0.200% in weight in relation to the fluoroether compound.
23. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 16 wherein the anhydrous fluoroether compound is sevoflurane.
24. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ A method for stabilizing a wet fluoroether compound ~~presenting~~ having water content from 0.002% to 0.14% ~~characterized by using~~ comprising mixing the wet fluoroether compound with at least one stabilizer agent employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 5% in weight in relation to the fluoroether compound, ~~being the stabilizer agent being selected from the group consisting of a polyalcohol selected from the group constituted consisting of propylene glycol, polyethylene glycol, hexylene glycol, and 1,3-butylene glycol, or a C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl substituted or unsubstituted aliphatic 4-12 membered carbocyclic alcohol, and mixtures thereof like menthol.~~
25. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 24 wherein the stabilizer agent is propylene glycol employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 0.200% in weight in relation to the fluoroether compound.
26. (Canceled)

27. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 24 wherein the stabilizer agent is a polyethylene glycol of general formula  $\text{H}(\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2)_n\text{OH}$  where n is equal or greater than 4.
28. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 27 wherein the stabilizer agent is polyethylene glycol 400 employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 0.200% in weight in relation to the fluoroether compound.
29. (Canceled)
30. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 24 wherein the stabilizer agent is menthol-is-used employed in a concentration ranging from 0.001% to 0.200% in weight in relation to the fluoroether compound.
31. (Currently Amended) ~~Method~~ The method according to claim 24 wherein the fluoroether compound presenting having water content ranging from 0.002% to 0.14% is sevoflurane.